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SUBJECT: PRESS CONFERENCE GIVEN BY MEMBERS OF
DOMINICAN REVOLUTIONARY PARTY (PRD)

1. THE SAN JOSE PRESS OF FEBRUARY 27 REPORTED
COMMENTS OF FOUR MEMBERS OF THE DOMINICAN
REVOLUTIONARY PARTY (PRD) BEFORE THE COSTA RICAN
PRESS ASSOCIATION ON FEBRUARY 26. THE GROUP,
WHICH INCLUDES HATVEY DE DAMPS, RAFAEL CASIMIRO
CASTRO, JOSE MARCOS IGLESIAS, AND MANUEL JIMENEZ
RODRIGUEZ, IS REPORTEDLY TOURING SEVERAL
LATIN COUNTRIES IN ORDER TO DRAW INTERNATIONAL
ATTENTION TO THE "CRIMES, TERROR, AND PERSECUTION"
OF THE BALAGUER GOVERNMENT.

2. THE DOMINICANS CRITICIZED THE EXISTENCE IN THE
DOMINICAN REPUBLIC OF POLITICAL PRISONERS, UNEMPLOYMENT,
UNLICENSED FREEDOM OF MULTINATIONAL CORPORATIONS, AND THE
CONCENTRATED POWER OF BALAGUER. THEY REPORTEDLY
ACCUSED BALAGUER OF "HANDING OVER THE DOMINICAN
REPUBLIC TO THE U.S. "SINCE THE DEBT TO THE U.S.
IS "MORE THAN 700 MILLION DOLLARS."

3. THEY ALSO REPORTEDLY CRITICIZED THE GOCR FOR
SUPPORTING AS A CANDIDATE FOR THE SECRETARY-
GENERAL OF THE OAS VICTOR GOMEZ BERGES, WHO THEY
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CLAIMED IS A SYMBOL OF THE BALAGUER GOVERNMENT.

4. CLIPPINGS WILL BE FORWARDED TO SANTO DOMINGO.
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